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Title: A CONNECTION DEVICE ASSOCIATED)
WITH AN ARM OF AN ARTICULATED THREE-)
DIMENSIONAL MEASURING APPLIANCE)
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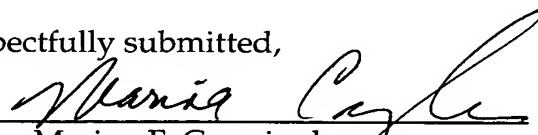
This application is entitled to the benefit of and claims priority from French
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